

VEHICLE BID FORM

MONO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

I. BID ITEM

The County of Mono is requesting bids for One New 2015 Dodge 3500 6.7L turbo diesel 4x4 dually cab-chassis for use with a Mono County provided used type-1 module. The completed ambulance must have a load height as near to 32 inch's maximum at the bottom of the rear doors as possible or it will be rejected as not meeting this bid requirement. This bid should also include the trade-in value for one 2008 Ford F350 XLT diesel 4x4 dually cab-chassis.

II. MINIMUM BID SPECIFICATIONS

DESCRIPTION (Please place a "checkmark" in the appropriate column	COMPLY	EXCEPTION
CHASSIS:		
Diesel powered Four-wheel drive cab-chassis with ambulance prep package. A used Type 1 mini-module will be furnished by Mono County to be mounted on the rear of a new Dodge 3500 Cab and Chassis. Overall gurney load height should be as close to 32 inches at bottom of rear doors as possible. No Air Bag Suspension.		
ENGINE:		
6.7L Cummins turbo diesel engine / Must comply with California Clean Air regulations		
TRANSMISSION:		
Heavy Duty 6 speed automatic transmission with transmission cooler		
BRAKE SYSTEM:		
Heavy Duty 4 wheel disc and anti-lock brake system		
REAR SUSENSION AND DRIVE AXLES:		
Heavy Duty-dually with a gross vehicle weight rating capable of handling ambulance package and all additional cargo.		
Heavy Duty rear axle stabilizer bar		
FRONT SUSPENSION AND STEERING:		
Heavy Duty front stabilizer bar / Power assist steering and tilt steering wheel		
WHEELS AND TIRES:		
17 inch Standard steel wheels and Four chrome wheel covers / simulators		
6- Vendor mounted LT235 80R17 Goodyear Duratrac "E" rated tires		
SAFETY, ELECTRICAL AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS:		
12 volt, 110-amp (min.) alternator. Factory wired ambulance prep package.		
Replace Vanner 20-1050 CUL inverter		
Engine block heater should be hardwired into the shoreline power supply.		
Replace back-up alarm at the rear of ambulance chassis		
Provide price to install rear view back-up camera connected to dash view screen		

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Replace Intravenous Warmer/ Heater with thermostat and dual voltage in rear ambulance box.		
SAFETY, ELECTRICAL AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS, continued:		
Replace the grille-mounted intersection L.E.D lights.		
Replace siren speakers with front console and switch panel, to include electric cab door lock release button hidden in grill (similar to current chassis)		
COOLING SYSTEM:		
Heavy duty radiator and cooling system equipped for dual heat and air conditioning systems.		
EXTERIOR PAINT AND INTERIOR FINISH:		
White cab with reflective red stripe. The remounted box is to be repainted white with matching reflective red stripe and any rear box chevron stripping needed for safety compliance / Gold leaf lettering with black shading effect on sides and rear of box. Example photos can be provided when necessary		
Install new center console to be built with map compartments, two cup holders, arm rests, flexible map light and two flush mounted drop-in chargers KVC 18 for TK2180 hand-held radios. Existing two way radio equipment also flush mounted. Example photos can be provided when necessary		
Black vinyl floor covering in cab and Black rubber floor mats		
UPGRADES OR CHANGES TO EXISTING AMBULANCE BOX:		
Dealer will provide two additional cut and coded ignition keys or fobs		
Replace the existing running boards with new.		
Install existing spot light in cab with a hanger clip		
Repair and reinstall the rear step bumper		
Install O2 rack under rear jump seat if possible		
Recoat exterior floor frame with additional sound insulation		
Install lock in an interior drawer at the front of the patient compartment		
Replace rear ambulance box air conditioning condenser and rear heater core units with all new components		
Replace all existing exterior door handles		
Replace weather stripping on all compartment and access doors		
Replace exterior diamond plate		
Replace all exterior and interior light lenses with new.		
Install in the ambulance box a new digital -12 volt clock and hard wire it to constant 12 volt battery voltage.		
Clean and caulk existing flooring as needed		
Clean counter tops and repair rear vinyl jump seat and bench if needed		

WARRANTY:	COMPLY	EXCEPTION
Standard new vehicle warranty (min. three year or 36,000 mile bumper-to-bumper including Road side assistance) 100,000 Mile engine warranty		
SHOP MANUALS:		
Bidder is to provide all applicable Shop Manuals which are: One complete set of Factory Shop manuals and should include all Vacuum, Wiring schematics, Power train control and emission diagnosis for Cab, Chassis and Remounted box.		
DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS:		
Equipment and attachments as listed in this bid must be delivered to Bridgeport, California within 120 days of receipt of a Mono County purchase order.		
LIQUIDATED DAMAGES FOR DELAYED DELIVERY:		
Because it would be impractical and extremely difficult to ascertain the exact amount of damages caused by delayed delivery, the Bidder agrees to pay Mono County liquidated damages in the amount of \$369 per day for late delivery, that this is a reasonable estimate of the damages Mono County will incur, and that liquidated damages will not be assessed where the delay is due to an act of nature or government. The Bidder further acknowledges that liquidated damages may be withheld from any funds to the Bidder for these items.		

BIDDERS: BID PRICES QUOTED BELOW MUST INCLUDE ALL APPLICABLE TAXES AND ALL RELATED FEES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SALES TAX, TIRE FEES, TRANSFER FEES, AND (FOR OUT-OF-STATE BIDDERS) SMOG CERTIFICATION FEES. MONO COUNTY IS NOT EXEMPT FROM SALES TAXES OR ANY OTHER APPLICABLE FEES.

OUT-OF-STATE BIDDERS MUST PROVIDE A "CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN" CERTIFICATE FOR EACH VEHICLE.

MONO COUNTY'S FLEET IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (FIN) IS QB909.

III. EXCEPTIONS

Explain all exceptions identified in Section II, above (attach additional sheets if necessary).

IV. BID

I agree to furnish Mono County with the vehicle specified on this Vehicle Bid Form for the price indicated below:

1. SUBTOTAL for ONE new 2015 Dodge 3500 diesel 4x4 cab-chassis: \$ _____
 2. REMOUNT & UPGRADE existing ambulance box on new cab-chassis: \$ _____
 3. SALES TAX (7.25%): \$ _____
 4. **SUBTRACT** TRADE-IN value of existing cab-chassis: – \$ _____
 5. DELIVERY to Mono County (F.O.B. Bridgeport, CA 93517): \$ _____
 6. ALL OTHER FEES (tire fees, transfer fees, etc.): \$ _____
- TOTAL: ONE 2015 Dodge 3500 diesel 4x4 cab-chassis remount and upgrades: \$ _____
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Winning vendor selection will be based on the total price of a complete package that would include cab-chassis, remounting of used ambulance box and options listed above, taxes, transportation of the trade-in to the vendor's remount location, delivery of the new remount to Bridgeport, California and all other fees.

V. BIDDER:

Dealership Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

V. CERTIFICATION

In submitting this bid, I understand that Mono County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and/or reject any and all items of such bids and/or waive any irregularities in a bid. By signature on this bid document, I agree that the vehicle specified above will be delivered within 120 days of a receipt of a Mono County purchase order. I certify that I am an authorized agent for the above dealership.

Signed: _____ Title: _____

VI. BID SUBMITTAL

Please submit your bid in a SEALED, OPAQUE envelope labeled with "AMBULANCE BID" and the name of the Bidder printed on the outside of the envelope.

Bids received unsealed or unlabeled will not be considered. Bids submitted by facsimile (fax) transmission will not be considered. Any bids received after the bid submittal deadline specified below shall be returned to the bidder unopened.

Bids must be submitted by the time and date specified below to the Board Clerk, P.O. Box 715, Bridgeport, California, 93517, or by delivery to the Board Clerk, 74 North School Street, Bridgeport, California, up to the bid opening time, which has been set for **4:30pm on Thursday October 23, 2014.**

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT, DESPITE INFORMATION YOU MAY RECEIVE FROM MAIL SERVICES, "overnight" delivery by the US Postal Service, UPS, FedEx, and other carriers is actually scheduled as a two-day delivery due to the remote nature of central Mono County.

VII. QUESTIONS

Should a bidder find discrepancies in, or omissions from, the specifications contained herein, or should bidder be in doubt as to their meaning, he or she shall at once notify Jeff Walters, Director Public Works at 760.932.5459 or by email at jwalters@mono.ca.gov. Should it be found necessary, a written addendum will be sent to all bidders.

No representative of the County is authorized to give oral instructions, interpretations, or explanations of these specifications, and a submission of a bid constitutes agreement by the bidder that he or she has placed no reliance on any such oral instruction, interpretation, or explanation. Oral instructions may, however, be given by the County upon inquiry by a bidder to direct the bidder's attention to the location in the specifications or Invitation to Bid that cover the subject of the inquiry.

Please refer all questions regarding this Vehicle Bid Form or the specifications contained herein to Jeff Walters, Director Public Works, at 760.932.5459 or by email at jwalters@mono.ca.gov.

VIII. LOCAL VENDOR PREFERENCE CLAUSE:

This is to acknowledge and verify that a Local Preference is included in the Mono County code. "The Mono County purchasing agent may in his or her sole discretion give preference of up to five percent to responsible local vendors, where the quality of the equipment, supplies, or services offered by local and non-local vendors is equal. In other words, the purchasing agent may approve a purchase wherein the price paid by the county to a responsible local vendor is five percent higher than the price the county would otherwise have paid to a responsible non-local vendor. A vendor shall be deemed "local" if his or her place of business is located in either Mono County or in the general vicinity of the City of Bishop in Inyo County. The rationale for allowing such a local preference includes assisting the county's economy, increasing local sales tax revenues, and encouraging new businesses to locate in the county. The purchasing agent may utilize any method of evaluating bids or quotations that achieves this purpose, including but not limited to deducting the amount of the preference from bids or quotations submitted by responsible local vendors and then comparing them to bids or quotations submitted by non-local responsible vendors. The purchasing agent's final decision of whether and how to give a local preference in the context of a particular purchase shall be made prior to any solicitation of quotations or bids."

This information is hereby incorporated into the Vehicle Bid Form.



Jeff Walters, Director Public Works
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